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SUBJECT: AMSTERDAM SOCIALIST SUMMIT ON EAST-WEST RELATIONS

REF: THE HAGUE 1815 (NOTAL),

1. THE GOM DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION ANNOUNCED TODAY
THAT PRIME MINISTER MINTOFF WILL NOT ATTEND THE APRIL 16-17
MEETING IN AMSTERDAM OF SOCIALIST LEADERS.

2. INSTEAD, THE GOM STATED THAT MINTOFF WILL BE
REPRESENTED BY ONE OF THE DEPUTY LEADERS OF THE MALTA
LABOR PARTY (FOR PARTY AFFAIRS), DR. JOSEPH BRINCAT.
AGE 33, DR. BRINCAT IS A LAWYER WHO HAS BEEN IN PARLIAMENT
SINCE 1971. HE WAS ELECTED AS ONE OF THE TWO MLP
DEPUTY LEADERS FOLLOWING THE 1976 MALTESE PARLIAMENTARY
ELECTION. DR. BRINCAT IS A FREQUENT AND ARTICULATE
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SPOKESMAN FOR THE MLP ON TELEVISION.

3. COMMENT: THE GOM ANNOUNCED THAT DR. BRINCAT WILL
BE JOINED AT THE AMSTERDAM MEETING BY MALTESE ROVING
AMBASSADOR GEORGE AGIUS, FORMER SECRETARY GENERAL
OF THE MALTESE GENERAL WORKERS UNION, WHO IS RESIDENT
IN GERMANY. IT ALSO WAS REPORTED THAT DR. BRINCAT WILL

VISIT GREECE AND CYPRUS AFTER LEAVING AMSTERDAM "WHERE
HE WILL HAVE TALKS ON MATTERS CONCERNING THE MEDITERRANEAN
AS PART OF THE EFFORT MALTA (IS) MAKING TO FOSTER ITS
POLICY FOR A MEDITERRANEAN AS A SEA OF PEACE AND NOT AS
A SEA OF WAR AND CONFLICT." LAINGEN

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